

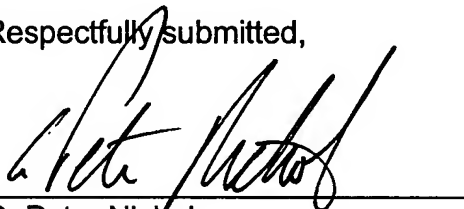
REMARKS

In response to the Restriction Requirement, Applicants elect the species of Figures 1-5 and the subspecies of Figures 11 and 12. An election of a sub-subspecies is considered not necessary since those claims have been canceled.

Applicants believe that claims 1-5, 8, 9, 12, and 14-21 read on the elected species and subspecies and that each of claims 1, 20, and 21 appear to be generic.

It is believed that all the claims are allowable and Applicants request notification to that effect. If, for any reason, the Examiner feels that the above amendments and remarks do not put the claims in condition for allowance, the undersigned attorney can be reached at (312) 321-4276 to resolve any remaining issues.

Respectfully submitted,

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